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Local and General

Mr. and Mrs. Halliday, Senr., of Calgary, were visiting during the week at the home of their son A. A. Halliday in town.

Dr. and Mrs. Whillans and family returned home on Monday last after spending a vacation at the coast.

Miss Marie and Alice Ontkes are spending a vacation at Clive, being the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Wicks.

Miss Annie Robinson, of Calgary, is visiting at the home of Constable and Mrs. Valk.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. B. Nicholson have moved into the rooms over the McKay Garage, vacated by Mr. and Mrs. L. Skinner, who have gone back to Carmangay.

Mrs. R. Whitfield and Mrs. J. H. Whitfield are spending the week in the Cochrane district.

Hugh McBean has decided on a change and has left Crossfield to work for his brother at Stovort, near Nanaka, Alta. Hugh claims that his brothers crop of wheat looks like 50 bushels to the acre.

UNION CHURCH, CROSSFIELD
Sunday, August 8th.

Rev. R. K. Swenerton, B.A., B.D., Pastor.

Mr. S. Willis, Musical Director.

Mrs. M. Thomas, Organist.

Mr. D. A. Jeffery, Sunday School Superintendent.

Sunday School & Bible Class 2 p.m.

Preaching Service at 7.30 p. m.

On Sunday evening, Aug. 8th, a Flower Service will be held. Those having flowers are requested to kindly bring them, and make as attractive display as possible. Please do not wait to be asked. Just bring what you have. Wild flowers will be acceptable in addition to the cultivated flowers. An address on the subject of "Flowers, and their Message to us" will be given. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

The Rev. Thos. Powell, Superintendent of Missions, will speak on Sunday, August 15th, at Rodney, Elba and Crossfield Union Church.

On Saturday last, July 31st, at the Fire Hall, R. J. Smith was charged before Ivor Lewis, J.P., with operating an automobile in contravention to the Motor Vehicle Act, having no license. Constable J. Valk prosecuted. Smith was fined \$10.00 and costs.

Judging by the pails of some of the berry pickers the crops of wild fruits are sure plentiful, some heavy pails of Saskatoons have found there way into town during the past week.

Miss L. Rogers, of Regina returned to her home on Saturday after spending a couple of weeks in town as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Watters.

Mr. A. C. McLean visited friends north-west of Acme on Tuesday.

Mr. Hopkins, of Lacombe is employed in the Wm. Laut store as successor to Mr. Potter who has gone to Calgary to undergo an operation.

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The Kindness of Heaven

A story is told of a Saskatchewan lady, the wife of a newspaper editor who, having made his pile, had gone to Los Angeles to reside. Long association with an editor had made the lady pious to the point of prudery, and after a short residence at the famous southern resort she expressed a desire to return to the safety of the prairies on the grounds of the immorality rampant at the fashionable stamping ground. In illustration she remarked that the abbreviated bathing costumes worn by women were held up by nothing more than a string of beads on one side and the kindness of heaven on the other.—Battleford Press.

'Twas Ever Thus

Every time we see an article offered at an uncommonly low price—whether it be shoes, prunes, fountain pens, wood blocks, or a personal service of some kind—we are reminded of Chief Big Smoke.

The owner of this picturesque name was a copper-colored native employed as a missionary to his fellow smokers out in Oklahoma. A tourist once asked him what he did for a living.

"Umph!" said Big Smoke, "me preachin'."

"That so? What do you get for preachin'?"

"Me get ten dollars a year."

"Well," commented the white man, "that's a d—n poor pay."

"Umph!" replied Big Smoke, "me d—n poor preacher."

The Music That Hath Charms

He—"Most girls, I have found, don't appreciate real music."

Second He—"Why do you say that?"

He—"Well you may pick beautiful strains on a mandolin for an hour, and she won't even look out of the window, but just one honk of a horn and—out she comes!"—London Bightly.

Tenders for the Purchase of Two Farm Buildings

Pursuant to instructions the Soldier Settlement Board of Canada is calling for tenders for the purchase of two farm buildings on their late training Centre Farm near Crossfield.

These buildings comprise:-

One frame Bunk House 24 x 80, 7 ft. Eaves, One-third pitch roof.

One frame Dining-room and Kitchen 24 x 40, 7 ft. Eaves, One-third pitch roof.

Both of these buildings are on wooden block foundations and could easily be moved. The larger buildings is constructed so that it could be conveniently cut into three sections. They were erected early this spring and are therefore practically new. They are situated on the North-West quarter of Section 8, Township 20, Range 2, West of the 5th Meridian, about 12 miles west of Crossfield. The Board reserves the right to reject any tender.

All communications should reach the District Superintendent, Soldier Settlement Board, Calgary, not later than the 31st of July, 1920.

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left side neck, about 10 yrs old.

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cut by side. One Brown Mare Branded

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on left hind leg as lower cut. Was

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28, R. 3, W. 5th Mer., on the 15th day

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## Love of The Wild

— BY —  
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(Continued)

"Aha, I thought you would McTavish. Says I to Smythe this morning: 'Smythe, it doesn't seem to me that this is a very good piece of business judgment on our part; but,' says I, 'Smythe, we must consider others rather than ourselves in this matter. McTavish, now, says I 'he has a couple of youngsters growing up, and they should secure an education such the Clearview school can give them, and that if that's the case, we can't blind our eyes to our duty as Christian men.' Smythe is a good Christian man and just that soft-hearted that it's no wonder my words affected him. He says: 'Mr. Watson, money is not everything. Go forth on an errand of mercy, and offer Mr. McTavish of Bushwhackers' Place one bright and fertile hundred acres of loam in Clearview in exchange for his bit of wilderness.' — His very words, McTavish. So I wrote you briefly in order to break the good news gently, and now I am before you to perform an act which, believe me, gives me as much pleasure in a sense, as it does you. I have all the necessary papers, and although the journey is a trying one, I will not complain. I have been five hours in the saddle and have endured a cowardly nigger as guide as far as the Triple Elms. Seems, like between loneliness and mosquitoes, I'm just about fagged out. They are a d—l mean they are a hanged nuisance, mosquitoes."

While his guest unburdened himself, Big McTavish steeped strong tea, and fried strips of bacon. Gloss had not yet returned from the spring. The savory smell of the frying meat whetted Watson's appetite, and he needed no second invitation to "set up and eat hearty." He ate wolfishly, his little eyes darting from his food to the face of McTavish, his heavy jaws working, and the muscles of his throat contracting with bo-a-like elasticity, as he gulped down huge mouthfuls of meat and bread. At last he pushed his chair back from the table and wiped his mouth on the back of his hand.

"Now, Mac," he said affably, "we'll just have you sign those papers, and I'll turn you over this deed I hold here in exchange for the one you now have. Says I to Smythe this morning: 'Smythe, it's a nice sort of glow a fellow feels after doing a worthy act, anyway. Think what this will mean to the McTavishes.' And do you know he was that soft-hearted he couldn't answer me, and stood there swallowing with tears in his eyes."

"I'm thinkin' that we won't make any swap," said big McTavish quietly. "Neither me nor Boy nor any of us care to leave this big woods. We've been here so long we've grown into it somehow. You see we're not hankerin' to leave."

Watson sat up with a jerk, and the pipe he was filling fell to the floor and broke into a dozen pieces.

"What?" he cried, "do you mean to say, McTavish, that you won't deal?"

"That's what I mean," nodded the big man.

"And you won't change this block of tangled brush for one hundred acres of good, cultivated land?" Mr. Watson leaned forward. "Are you

sure you realize what you are missing?" he asked impressively.

"All I know is, we're thankful to God for what we have now," said big McTavish fervently. "We don't feel like insultin' Him by tradin' what He's given us, slight and unseen."

"Oh, come now, McTavish," flustered Watson, "you must be crazy. Why, man, you will never get another chance such as this, the one we offer you. Besides, you can't stay here very much longer, anyway. Of course, you've heard what Colonel Halliutt intends to do with you Bushwhackers?"

A deep line appeared between Big McTavish's eyes.

"We don't want any trouble with Colonel Halliutt," he said. "We hear that he has his eyes on our timber. When he comes after it he'll find us here. As for you, Mr. Watson, I wouldn't take your sand farm as a gift, thankin' you just the same."

"Then why in hell have you been letting me waste my breath on you for the last hour?" snarled Watson, his face purple.

McTavish stood up.

"That'll do now," he warned. "There's Gloss comin' up the path, and swarin' is somethin' she has never heard in this house, and before I'll hear her hear you usin' cuss-words I'll cram this down your throat, and don't you forget it."

He lifted a hairy fist, then sat down and resumed his smoking.

Gloss entered the room, singing blithely. Her shapely arms were bare to the elbows. Her big gray eyes, dancing with life and health, swept the room and rested wondrously on Watson. He in turn gazed at the girl, and an ashy whiteness wiped out the mottled color of his cheeks. He drew back whispering something under his breath.

"This is Mr. Watson, Gloss," said Big McTavish.

"Good-morning, sir," saluted the girl. "I didn't know that we had a visitor. I see uncle has got you your breakfast, but surely you'll enjoy a glass of fresh buttermilk. I'll fetch it."

She slipped from the room, and Watson looked across at Big McTavish.

"That girl," he asked quietly, "is the yester for your child?"

The big man looked up, astonishment written on his face.

"No," he answered, "but she's just as dear as though she was our own. Her dyl'n mother sent her to us. Why do you ask that?"

Watson was reaching for his cap and rifle. Perhaps he did not hear the question. At any rate he did not reply.

Fifteen minutes later he mounted his gray horse and without so much as a word of adieu rode away through the timber.

McTavish stood on the edge of the clearing, his long arms folded, and watched his visitor disappear. Turning, he found the dirt child behind him.

"Well, Davie," he said kindly, "hadn't you best run home now, lad? You're all wet with the dew."

The boy waved his arms above his head and imitated an eagle's scream. Then he pointed to the white patch that marked the first blaze of the long trail.

"You mean the man on the white horse, Davie?" asked McTavish, smiling. "Yes, lad, I know."

The boy gazed about him with wide and expressive eyes. Then once more he waved his arms like an ascending eagle, gave a wild call of victory and defiance, and, bending, sped swiftly away and was lost in the heavy shadow.

### CHAPTER VII.

Where the Brook and the River Meet.

Big McTavish walked slowly back to the house. In the doorway stood Gloss awaiting him.

"Is he gone?" she asked.

"Yes, Glossie, he's gone."

McTavish picked up the ax which was leaning against the ash-bark and turned toward the bush.

"You might just keep your eyes on the soap-fire, Gloss. I'm going down to the sawle to cut some sassafras for the yearlin's—they seem all dead. While I'm down there I might as well mark some basswood saplin's, that'll make good asp-troths. Promised myself last sugar-making that I'd have new trowls before another asyrup-boilin'."

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"The potatoes must be about ready to dig and the girls say they are."

"Yes, Boy's over to Paisley's after a fork, and when he gets back we're goin' to start in on 'em. There's this satisfaction about raisin' taters," he laughed, "—the squirrels and crows don't molest the crop any the way they do the corn. It does seem we can't keep them out of the corn, though."

"It looks fine since you've got it cut and shocked up," declared the girl; "and it does seem so good that we're gettin' such a nice piece of land cleared. Granny was tellin' me what that man who just left wanted to do, and I had to laugh when I thought how he could be so foolish as to think we'd be willing to leave Bushwhackers' Place. 'Why, Gran,' says I, 'what do we want of a farm in Clearview when we've got one right here?'"

The big man's face lit up.

(To Be Continued)

## Winner in Butter Contest

Results of Dominion Education Butter Scoring Contest For May

Saskatchewan wins first place in the Dominion education butter scoring contest for the month of May, is the information received by P. E. Reed, dairy commissioner for the province. The province also tied with Manitoba for second place.

Four creameries in each of the nine provinces of the Dominion are entered in the contest, the scoring being made on samples sent in each month from May to October inclusive. Two Saskatchewan creameries received the highest possible scores for workmanship. The Culworth branch of the Saskatchewan Co-operative Creameries scored highest with 97 points, and the same company's Birch Hills did with the Crescent Creamery company of Winnipeg for second place, with 96 points out of 100.

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## Newspaper Costs Still Mounting

The cost of the white paper on which newspapers are printed mounts steadily upward. The increased price which went into force on July 1st represents an added expense for Canadian publishers of not less than the huge sum of eight million dollars. In December, 1916, the price of newsprint was \$36 a ton. Early this year it was \$30. The new price is \$110 a ton—an increase of \$74 over the price prevailing up to 1916—more than 205 percent. For the last quarter of this year the price will be \$130 a ton, 261 percent over the cost price of four years ago.

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## Emigrants from Britain

Every Part of Canada Will Benefit From the Influx

Every part of Canada is to benefit by the influx of Imperial ex-soldiers who are coming to the Dominion to settle on farms under the special scheme decided upon by the Imperial and Dominion governments last year. Those already selected by the Dominion representatives, W. E. Scott, former deputy minister of agriculture, British Columbia, and Russell Wilson of Saskatoon, will bring about a million dollars in cash, said Mr. Scott, at Halifax from the Cunard liner Caronia en route with Mr. Wilson to Ottawa, where they will make an official report.

Of the thousands of applicants about 700 have been found suitable, during the stay in England of Messrs. Scott and Wilson. They are not the professional army officers type of men Mr. Scott said, but mostly were civilians before the war. They are sound and adaptable and come from York, Northumberland, Wales and Scotland, the best agricultural sections of the Old Land, and Mr. Scott declares they will adapt themselves to conditions here and make ideal farm settlers and citizens.

That Canada should get as many of this mass of settlers as possible is Mr. Scott's opinion, as Australia and New Zealand are going to send agents there this fall for the same kind of men and will offer big inducements. The two agents did not get a good slice of bread since they left Canada, they declared, Britain and many other parts of the world being short of wheat. Therefore they say there will be big prices for all the food produce Canada can export for years to come.

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## RUSSIA REFUSES TO CEASE WAR ON POLAND

**CALLS IT A ROBBER WAR**

**Lenine Blames Britain and The League of Nations For Trouble**

London.—Refusal of the Russian Soviet government to cease war against Poland at the behest of Great Britain is contained in a Moscow wireless despatch. The refusal also constitutes an appeal to the workers and peasants of Soviet Russia and the Ukraine. It is signed by Premier Lenine, minister of war, Trotsky, the foreign minister, Tchitcherin, and Karski, commissioners of justice and says:

"The British government addressed a proposal to us, July 11, to cease war against Poland and begin peace negotiations with Poland and other border states, promising that the Polish troops would be withdrawn and in case of an armistice being signed will locate a frontier marked last year at the peace conference."

"In the same note it was proposed that General Wrangel and his Cossack army should not be touched. To all this we, the council of peoples' commissaries, arrived at refusal. If England had desired this they would have stopped supplying Poland with munitions and money."

"Lord Curzon, the British foreign secretary, places it upon the League of Nations, in whose name he is making the proposal, but Poland enters into the composition of this league—Poland, who commenced a robber war against us."

"All the members of the league, especially France, England and the United States are bound hand in hand in this provocative war of Poland against Russia and the Ukraine."

"Our refusal of hostile mediation does not mean that we have altered our policy towards Poland. Moscow more than once has proposed peace to Warsaw, and if she will now appeal to us directly, peaceful relations will be established between Russia and Poland, sooner, better and more substantially in this way."

The communication says the real frontiers which the Soviet government will establish with representatives of the Polish people will be east of the frontier marked out by the imperialists in London and Paris, who are equally inimical and hostile to the workers of Poland and Russia."

The communication declares: "Desires to receive an honest peace and an honest frontier and find in the person of Russia a brotherly neighbor, it is necessary that the Polish people should seek it."

## Demonstration for Prince of Wales

**Dramatic Scenes Enacted at Adelaide On Departure for Tasmania**

Sydney, Australia.—The Prince of Wales has sailed for Tasmania. Extraordinary scenes of enthusiasm occurred when he departed from Adelaide. On Saturday the prince rode horses in several races at that city. He won the five-furlong sprint in the time of one minute and eight seconds.

Of all the demonstrations that have occurred in Australia, none was more dramatic than that when the prince addressed 6,000 women war workers. He asked them to treat him as a comrade, the same as the diggers have been.

As His Royal Highness left the hall he passed through cheering, weeping, flag-waving rows of women.

**Cost of Living in England**  
London.—The minister of labor statistics show an increase in the cost of living in the British Isles of 152 percent above the level of 1914.

**Cork Ladies Have Hair Clipped**  
London.—According to the Cork correspondent of the London News two girls, who, it is said, kept company with soldiers, were surrounded by four men, who clipped their hair.

## Secure Best Prices for Wheat

**Don't Rush to Sell, Says Toronto World to Farmers**

Toronto.—"There need be no great hurry to rush to sell under the prevailing conditions," is the advice of the Toronto World to Canadian farmers in regard to their wheat. "For the next three weeks," says the World, "the bulls and bears will be sending out contradictory reports of the yield, of blights, or rust, of the grain unripened, perhaps frozen wheat. In spite of all this the indications are of a big yield and high prices."

"And the farmers of Canada have better transportation in the way of railways, train equipment and a merchant marine, the best we ever had, than have the farmers of the states. We can sell and deliver wheat to them better than they can compete with us in Europe."

## Irish Will Negotiate

London.—The Sinn Fein and the British government are prepared to discuss if they are not already discussing a basis of probable settlement of the Irish question, according to a statement recorded by the Daily Mail's Dublin correspondent.

The alarming increase of violence in Ireland, the correspondent says, is frightening the responsible leaders of the Irish Republican party, many of whom appear to be inclined to listen to any generous offer from Downing street, but it is understood the home rule bill, now being considered by parliament, must first be shelved before the leaders will enter into negotiations.

## Russell to Remain in Durance

**No Clemency to Winnipeg Strike Leader in Immediate Future**

Ottawa.—A formal application for clemency, it is stated, has not yet been made in the case of R. B. Russell, chief of the Winnipeg strike leaders, who appealed without success to the Imperial privy council against his sentence of two years' imprisonment. While no official announcement has been made, it is not considered likely that there will be an exercise of clemency in the immediate future.

## To Raise U.S. Railway Rates

**Interstate Commerce Commission to Be Asked for Substantial Increase**

Washington.—Freight and passenger transportation in the United States are to bear a substantial portion of the rate to be asked by the railroads of the interstate commerce commission to offset the \$600,000,000 added expense caused by the labor board's wage award. It was announced by A. H. Thom, general counsel for the association of railway executives.

## TO PROSECUTE DEFAULTERS OF INCOME TAX

**PROSECUTIONS SIMPLIFIED**

**Willful Defaulters of Federal Tax May Find a-Rude Awakening**

Ottawa.—Revenue from income taxation this year is expected to total \$40,000,000. While this is not in excess of last year, it is attributable to the fact that the measure of excess profits is not nearly as large now as was the case in 1919 when the collections were based on the last year of the war.

An amendment made to the act this year simplifies the prosecution of defaulters and it was announced today that there will be extensive prosecutions of delinquents, failure to make a return and the subsequent registration of a notice to the party is sufficient proof under the new act to secure conviction.

Winnipeg.—A special despatch to the Free Press from its Ottawa correspondent reads:

Willful defaulters from federal income taxation may find a rude awakening from the slumber of security into which a recent lull in prosecution has rocked them. Even now the office of commissioner of taxation is preparing a long list of the prescribed and police court proceedings throughout the Dominion will be varied during the coming weeks by prosecutions against other than ordinary offenders against the law. In the past prosecutions have been fraught with some difficulty and expenses, witnesses were required. Under the amendments to the act passed last session, however, a registered letter is sent to the defaulter notifying him to make his return. If he fails to do so an affidavit is made out to the effect that the return has not been made. The affidavit is coupled with the affidavit of all that is required for prosecution and witnesses are not required. The chief reason for the lull in prosecutions recently is the fact that the department has been awaiting the facilitation mentioned. Now it can and will go ahead. The person found guilty is subject to two penalties. In the first place delay beyond the prescribed time in putting in returns subjects him to an additional impost of 24 percent of his assessment. In the second place he is subject to the penalty imposed for willful default.

Will Secure Grave Photos  
Ottawa.—Emphatic denial is given to a statement appearing that no more photographs of soldiers' graves would be supplied to relatives owing to a shortage of funds. At the militia department it was explained that a Canadian photographic staff is still maintained overseas.

Every Canadian grave in France and Belgium is to be photographed and copies of the photograph in each case will be sent automatically to the next of kin through military headquarters at Ottawa.

## Britain Leads in Shipping

**Total Tonnage Exceeds the Amount Under Construction in United States**

London.—Total tonnage now building in the United Kingdom exceeds the amount under construction in the United States by 1,672,000 tons, according to returns published by Lloyd's Register of Shipping. The aggregate amount now under construction in Great Britain is 3,578,000 tons, the highest amount ever recorded.

Much comment has been aroused in shipping circles this year by the figures, says the London Times. But, it adds, the failure of the United States to maintain its lead in ship building was expected since the intensive construction there, was chiefly a war measure.

## Privy Council Decision Settles Matter

**Remaining Strike Leaders Will Call Off Appeals Now**

Winnipeg.—The decision of the privy council in Russell's case will be accepted as disposing of contemplated appeals on behalf of the other convicted Winnipeg labor leaders, it was intimated by James Law, secretary of the defence committee. Mr. Law said he had no word as yet from Mr. Trueman or from his London agents, but accepting the press report on the case as accurate, he intimated that there would seem to be no advantage in entering further appeals, which would of necessity have to be argued along lines similar to the Russell appeal.

**Germany to Remain Neutral**

Berlin.—An official statement was issued declaring Germany's complete neutrality in the situation arising from the hostilities between Russia and Poland. The statement was signed by president Ebert and Minister Simons.

## News of the Provinces

### MANITOBA

Winnipeg.—The settlers' fund for the purpose of repopulating arable land in Canada has received contributions totalling \$900,000 to date, Mayor N. A. Brown, Medicine Hat, reported to the executives of the Western Canada Colonization association at a meeting here.

Brandon.—James Boden of Lacombe, Alta., was awarded grand champion and junior champion in the Ayrshire classes at the provincial exhibition here.

Winnipeg.—Six carloads of the 1920 wool crop have already been shipped from the provinces of Manitoba and Saskatchewan. Three cars were shipped from Regina and three from points in Manitoba. The total weight of these shipments was about 150,000 pounds.

### SASKATCHEWAN

Regina.—The largest farm deal of the year in this area was transacted during the week, when a section and a quarter of land of the Corrigan estate south of Pense was sold for \$100 per acre including the crop. The total purchase price was \$112,000.

Saskatoon.—Discovery of a black substance thought to be of a coal or oil base has been made on the river bank three miles away. Samples have been sent to Winnipeg and several claims filed. The substance burns with a red flame and develops considerable heat.

Regina.—To boost the standard of production in livestock and keep the farmer in touch with the experimental, Saskatchewan agricultural societies are planning to spend \$500,000 this year. The societies now have a membership of 20,000.

### BRITISH COLUMBIA

Victoria.—There are now in operation considerably more than 25,000 automobiles in British Columbia.

## MAY APPOINT NEW MINISTER IN LONDON

**CANADIAN REPRESENTATIVE**

**Some Difficulty May Be Found In Filling the Position Now Occupied by Perley**

Winnipeg.—A special despatch to the Free Press from its Ottawa correspondent reads:

No confirmation of the report that the status of Canada's federal representative in London is to be changed and that Sir George Perley is to be replaced by a resident minister, can be secured here for the reason that the premier is in Montreal, and there is nobody left behind who will take the responsibility of affiliation or denial.

The rumor is by no means new, in fact it has been current ever since Sir George Perley made it known over a year ago that he desired to retire from the high commissionership and return to his business in Canada.

The position appears to be about as hard to fill as that of Canadian representative at Washington. It differs from the latter in an important respect. It is essentially a trade position, which the other is diplomatic. The man upon whom the choice falls for the Washington position may find himself at any time in full charge of the British embassy.

Sir George Foster's name has been mentioned many times for the London position, but Sir George is not a young man any longer, neither is he a man of very considerable means, and youth and means are both required to grace the position. For the Washington position, Sir Robert Borden, Hon. N. W. Rowell, Mr. Lloyd Harris, and Mr. C. A. McGrath have all been mentioned in authoritative circles here. It is believed that the two first may be eliminated from the speculation entirely, though it is realized that Mr. Rowell in particular is eminently fitted for the position.

Plates running up to 27,000 are now being issued at the Victoria licensing office and Vancouver is working on a series culminating with 30,000.

Victoria.—According to a statement of the department of agriculture the acreage in the province devoted to potatoes will be 17,500 acres this year as against 18,000 acres last year. There is an increase in grain acreage, the estimates showing 46,800 acres sown to wheat, an increase of about 4,000 acres, 47,000 acres of oats as against 25,000 in 1919, and 14,000 acres of hay, clover and alfalfa, an increase of 5,000 acres.

Vancouver.—The total volume of British Columbia fruits sold in bulk to canneries, etc., in 1919, was equal to 2,668 carloads, being an increase of 1,300 carloads over 1918.

### ALBERTA

Edmonton.—Another expedition to look for the bones of great prehistoric reptiles in the Red Deer Valley of Alberta has arrived under direction of Dr. W. A. Parks, of the University of Toronto. Many societies have undertaken excavations in this region in past summers, and some perfect specimens of the kiltosaurus and incurvimanus uncovered and taken away.

Edmonton.—Twenty million cubic feet of gas every 24 hours from the San Joaquin well in the Peace River is the report brought down from the north to this city. Telegraphic advice state that the flow is keeping up with undiminished force and volume. It is now being capped and drilling operations continued elsewhere in a further search for oil.

Calgary.—Wool production is declared to be good by officials of the Canadian Co-Operative Wool Growers' Association. It is now being handled in great part of the western clip. Prices are expected to run from fifteen to twenty-five cents per pound.

## MORE PRODUCTION NEEDED



Stalling an Industrial Elopement

# Millions of Acres Of Arable Land are Available for Settlement

During the past couple of months, conflicting statements regarding the available acreage of good farming land within a radius of fifteen miles of existing railroads in western Canada have been made, and though the matter of five or six thousand acres in a total of approximately 30,000,000 at this stage of settlement, is not one of great importance, it is of considerable interest. Col. J. S. Dennis, addressing the Alberta Industrial Congress, placed it at 3,000,000 acres; the Western Canada Colonization Association in their recent announcements at twenty million; while Mayor Brown, of Medicine Hat, in his speech to the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, returns it at 25,000,000; and other authorities range from 20 to 35.

It is of particular interest to know, then, that one of the ablest statisticians, and best-known old-timers in the west, Mr. William Pearce, places the figure at 33,818,000, and in working out these figures he has produced some interesting data on the acreage under cultivation in the prairie provinces. They are based on his long years of residence in the West and first hand knowledge of the country, and in this respect, probably, Mr. Pearce, as a surveyor, engineer, statistician and business man, is better acquainted with the whole of these provinces than any other single individual.

The method adopted to determine the quantity was as follows: Taking the area within 15 miles of already established railway lines and those which will probably be constructed within the near future, and using a statement prepared some time ago, the federal electoral districts were taken as a unit to show the total population; the area available for settlement; the area cultivated; the number of acres cultivated, and the population per farm, etc. Having that data, the next step was to prepare maps showing all the land open for settlement outside of the 15-mile radius. Ascertaining that, by subtracting it from the total, the balance is the land available for settlement within the 15-mile radius.

The next step was to find out how many settlers, as given in the census, were residing on land outside of the 15-mile radius. There is absolutely no reliable data from which this could be accurately determined. By referring to table 25 in the census of 1916, where information is furnished by the municipalities, a close approximation could be obtained, but it was noted that the boundaries of said municipalities are not coterminous with those of the federal constituencies, and in many cases not with the township boundaries. To correct this, therefore would have involved a much greater amount of work than the attainment of absolute accuracy boundaries warranted, so it was assumed that every settler would have 320 acres of land; and taking the department of the interior homestead maps, showing the lands which are now patented, and which, of course, must have been entered and resided on at the date of the Census, there is no

doubt that it is sufficiently close for the purpose required.

Having estimated them, they were subtracted from those given in the census of each federal constituency, which indicated the number of settlers residing within the 15-mile radius, and allowing for each settler an area of 320 acres, for reasons hereinbefore stated, give the area occupied within this radius.

The next question was what percentage of those lands available would likely be settled. That involved a decision on which of course there may be very great difference in opinion. By settling is meant, would probably be settled upon within the next 15 or 20 years. The lesser the percentage remaining to be settled in the older constituencies, of course, the less it would be settled, from the fact that the lands left were not the most desirable tracts, and it is particularly noticeable in the percentages given for Manitoba, that in the very best constituencies so far at least as grain growing lands are concerned, such as Souris, Neepawa, Brandon and Lisgar, the percentage of that available for settlement that will be so settled is placed very low.

Again, some of the constituencies in Saskatchewan are placed as high as 90 percent and five at 80 percent. This favorable showing regarding Saskatchewan will not continue as settlement is extended outside of the 15-mile radius. Manitoba averages 39.05 percent, Saskatchewan 70.01 percent, and Alberta 37.01 percent of the lands available for settlement that will probably be so settled.

There are two other elements in connection with the percentages that have to be considered. One is in the way of muskegs, sloughs, etc., and another what might be called the semi-arid portions of the country, such as Medicine Hat, Lethbridge, Swift Current, etc. They had to be placed low on account of deficiency in rainfall. It will be noticed, however, that in those constituencies the most arid of the lands are outside of the 15-mile radius.

There is one thing to be borne in mind in connection with that phase, and that is, where any considerable area of land can be irrigated, as there is no doubt it will be in the near future, by reason of the increased production of the irrigated portions, the district as a whole would support a larger population than those portions where very many now anticipate irrigation would not be beneficial.

In Manitoba, the number of acres cultivated per farm varies from 16.07 in the constituency of Selkirk to 276.19 in Souris. For the province the average is 125.2 acres and the rural population per farm is equivalent to 6.78.

In Saskatchewan the number of acres cultivated per farm varies from 69.05 in Prince Albert to 284.34 in Assiniboia. The province averages 152.6 acres per farm and the rural population per farm is 4.67.

In Alberta, the number of acres cultivated per farm varies from 34.51 in Edmonton, to 156.7 in Macleod, an average of 83.05 acres per farm, while the rural population per farm is 4.65.

Col. MacDonald has just returned from England, where he was working on behalf of closer trade between Western Canada and Great Britain. The Colonel reports that as a result it has been settled and agreed upon that 129 British manufacturers will meet the representatives of Western Canada in Toronto next spring.

Col. MacDonald also states that large Parisian manufacturers have agreed to charter two sample trains which will tour Canada from coast to coast exhibiting post war marvels of French industrial recovery and of her strength.

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## Lesson Canada Must Learn

Save From "Fat" Years to Tide Over "Lean" Ones

Canada must take a lesson from the pages of history if the Dominion's great agricultural regions in the west are to continue in successful operation indefinitely—a lesson of learning how to save from the "fat" years to tide over the "lean" ones.

That was one of the solutions of the future agricultural welfare of the country offered by Professor John Bracken, the newly appointed principal of the Manitoba Agricultural College, Winnipeg, to the members of the commission on conservation in conference on soil fertility and soil fibre.

"There are years in Western Canada," said Prof. Bracken, "when, in spite of anything that can be done, crops will fail. We must overcome this problem by saving from the 'fat' years to meet the needs of the 'lean' years. We must save feed, seed, straw and money."

"That has been the method of successful agricultural nations ever since the world began. We will do well to heed the lesson."

Prof. Bracken told the 100 members of the commission that the state's future cannot be left to the individual—especially the state's agricultural future.

"It is the business of the state to conserve the state's future—not the business of the individual. If Canada, through this commission, takes the initiative, the individual will follow."

In his address on "cropping systems for drought areas," Prof. Bracken pointed out the best methods of offsetting the detrimental effects of the water shortage.

"The wealth of a dry country," he asserted, "is not determined by the amount of land there or the amount of water fall, but by the amount of water stored. We should plan to make use, through irrigation, of water now being lost in our streams. Water is the measure of our wealth; water flowing away is the measure of our lost opportunities."

## A Gun With a History

Famous British Gun That Took Part In Many Notable Engagements

Though it is not everybody that can make a pet of a big gun, visitors to the Imperial War Museum (to be opened by the King next month at Crystal Palace) will be surprised to find how these munitions of war can be individualized. Every notable gun will have its history set forth in a frame. In precise detail we shall be told of its record of adventures, and the names and exploits of men who had to do with it. The effect is almost to impart a human soul—or at least an animal soul—to a huge bulk of metal. "Mother," the first giant howitzer, is one of these individualized guns. Another is the lighter gun which fired the first round from the British lines on the western front, and after being constantly in action during the retreat from Mons, took part in the battle of the Marne, in the subsequent advance, in the first battle of Ypres; was engaged against the German offensive of March, 1918, and in the final "amash through," and then was present at the occupation of German towns. It was once disabled, but was mended; never needed much other repair; and bore itself like a stalwart from start to finish. Who can help feeling very friendly towards such a gun?—London Times.

## Big Fishing Fleet for Athabasca

Extensive operations involving the outfit of nearly \$500,000, and the maintenance of a big fishing fleet are planned by the Maritime Basin Fisheries, who are establishing a cannery at Black Bay, Athabasca, equipped with modern machinery that will employ over one hundred helpers, according to Captain Les Baxter, of Canine, Nova Scotia, who is on his way to Peace River to take charge of a river steamer loaded with supplies that will be used in the construction of the factory.

In Japan tea is practically a religion. There are special ceremonies in connection with it and special buildings in which it is drunk.

# Alberta Has Made Good Provision for Agricultural Education

Alberta is now the possessor of six provincial schools of agriculture. These schools are located at the towns of Vermilion, Youngstown, Olds, Gleichen, Claresholm and Raymond.

The object of the agricultural schools cannot be better expressed than in the words of the Hon. Duncan Marshall, provincial minister of agriculture, whose efforts are to a great extent responsible for the efficiency of agricultural education in Alberta. His states:

"The schools of agriculture have been established specially to give the farmer's son and the farmer's daughter that type of education which will better fit them for their business in life; that of agriculture."

"The object of the instruction in these schools is to give the students such knowledge and practice as will enable them to make farming a more pleasant and more profitable occupation. In the preparation of the course of studies, the board of agricultural education has kept the practical end in view, viz., the training of men for the actual practice of farming; nevertheless, it has not been

forgotten that agriculture is a science as well as an art of business, and that it is highly important that the men engaged in farming today should have a basis of training in science."

"Every progressive country in the world is recognizing the necessity of giving its boys and girls the best possible educational advantages as a preparation for whatever occupation in life they will follow. The government of the province of Alberta in establishing these schools recognizes that agriculture are doing a wide and important work, besides simply giving instruction in the classroom. They have become centres where problems of soil and livestock are worked out, where experiments are tried and theories are proven or disproven, where by practical education the farmers of the province may learn not only from their own experience, but from the experience of others as well."

## Hospital Facilities In Alberta

Drumheller Has the Largest Municipal Hospital in Alberta

The largest municipal district hospital in Alberta has just been opened at Drumheller. For some time past every effort has been made to get this area organized, and the result is the organization of the district covering 33 townships or over 20,000 acres.

The hospital has at present accommodation for 42 patients. It is pleasantly situated on the banks of the Red Deer River on the outskirts of the town of Drumheller about 60 miles northeast of Calgary. With up-to-date equipment and careful attention to detail in the finishing and fittings, it is unusually well equipped for a small hospital, and around the keen interest of the visitors who inspected it at the opening ceremony.

In the basement, besides the heating plant, main kitchen and laundry, there is an X-ray room and a disinfecting room. Aside from the main office and a waiting room on the main floor, this floor and the second floor are similar, each having a diet kitchen and several lavatories and baths with the rooms for patients. While the majority have been on the second floor, a number have two or three. There is a closed in sun-room with an eastern exposure on each floor. The third is occupied with a major and minor operating room and a maternity delivery room. These are unique features for a small hospital, as are the incinerator and the fumigating room which the hospital contains. The equipment is all very up-to-date.

## Replace Obsolete Vessels

Niobe, Rainbow and Grialo Are Advertised for Sale.

Advertising by the naval service department for the sale of the cruisers Niobe, Rainbow and Grialo, marks the end of the Laurier navy as such. The two ships first mentioned were the nucleus of the Canadian navy, afterwards the Grialo was added.

The vessels, largely used for training purposes, are regarded as obsolete and they are to be replaced by the two cruisers, two destroyers and two submarines presented by the imperial admiralty. These ships will come out in September. Commande Hoar, R.N., is now in England arranging for the transfer.

The two submarines which were hurriedly purchased in 1914, at Seattle, and taken to British Columbia waters, will also be sold and replaced by the admiralty craft.

Julius was first called Albion by British Caesar (from Albus, white) because of its chalky cliffs.

## Ideal Conditions for Hay and Pasture

Conditions All Over Alberta Stated To Be Exceptionally Good.

Ideal conditions for stock pasture for the late summer and fall prevail over the whole of Alberta. "There is no doubt that Alberta will be a hay exporting province this year," says Mr. Stevens, secretary of the Cattlemen's Association, "although the bulk of the hay crop will come from the northern part of the province. Crop conditions from north to south are ideal, but in the south the rain has come a little late to insure a liberal hay crop. So far as the south is concerned, however, the supply will be amply augmented by roughage from the grain crop, and the increased area under irrigation will account for an increase in the supply of first-class alfalfa and timothy hay."

In the north the hay crop will be unexceptionably good and will not only supply any part of the province where there may be some slight shortage, but will leave a great quantity available for export to other parts of the country.

## Reindeer Farm in the Arctic

Stefansson Is Granted Grazing Lease In the Far North.

A portion of the southern half of Baffin Island, south of parallel 68 degrees north latitude, including a strip 10 miles wide along the north boundary of Lake Neilling, is to be leased to Vilhjalmur Stefansson, Canadian Arctic explorer, for the purposes of grazing herds of reindeer and musk-ox for the period of 30 years, with a period of renewal not to exceed 20 years to be provided for.

This is authorized in an order-in-council gazetted this week. Mr. Stefansson will be given free grazing privileges for 15 years, after which he will pay an annual rental of \$11,890. Mr. Stefansson has replied to the government that he has interested himself so as to insure the outcome of his firm belief of the reindeer project.

## Prospective Settlers Visit B. C.

Finding in British Columbia a country in which climate, beauty and fruitfulness matches their own, a distinguished party of Swiss have reached the province on an industrial and economic excursion. It is their hope that as a result of their visit a large number of Swiss farmers and artisans will be enabled to come to British Columbia under conditions which will enable them to add to the industrial wealth of the province.

Lots of men are club members because they dislike the idea of spending their evening at home.

## Perpetual Youth

Vienna Professor Announces He Has Invented Two Ways of Rejuvenating Men

The latest claim of having discovered the "fountain of perpetual youth" comes from Vienna, where Eugene Steinbach, professor of biology, announces that he has invented two ways of rejuvenating men; one by means of a slight operation on certain glands and the other by X-ray treatment, causing a general improvement of the cell system.

Vienna scientists say that Professor Steinbach's claims have been corroborated by successful experiments with animals.

The Belgian parliament in 1911 voted an old age pension for coal



# The Maytag Company

Winnipeg Limited Calgary



Last week, in this paper, we used about a foot of space to tell something about the

**Maytag Multi-Motor Washer**

This is but a reminder. If you read the adv. in last week's paper all well and good, and if you overlooked it, it will be time well spent if you find a copy and read it very carefully. It is a hard job these hot, sultry days to bend over a washboard or turn a hand washer. A MAYTAG Multi-Motor Washer, with a powerful, light, compact, half horse, air-cooled engine built right in as a part of the washer is one thing above all others that should be in every home where there is no electric current. Ask the implement or hardware dealer in your home town where you are your trading to tell you about it. If he refuses, then drop us a line and we will, and will also send you free a copy of the MAYTAG Laundry Manual.

## The Maytag Company

WINNIPEG CALGARY

Angry Customer.—Look here, waiter. I have just found this trouser button in my soup.

Waiter (with a beaming smile).—Oh, thank you, sir. I couldn't think what had become of it.

To have the children sound and healthy is the first care of a mother. They cannot be healthy if troubled with worms. Use Mother Graves' Worm Extirminator.

British ocean liner has installed a small branch of a London bank as a convenience to its passengers.



## "I Cannot Go"

**BILIOUS** headache spoils many an expected enjoyment.

When the condition of the liver is neglected, biliousness seems to become chronic and recurs every two or three weeks, with severe sick headaches.

Why not get right after this trouble and end it by using Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills to restore the health and activity of the liver.

Constipation, indigestion, backache, headache, biliousness and kidney derangement soon disappear with the use of this well-known medicine.

One pill a day, 25 cts. a box, all dealers. Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills

## To Reclaim Half Million Acres

Inundated Areas in Alberta and Saskatchewan to be Drained

Forty reclamation projects involving 400,000 to 500,000 acres of land are planned in Alberta, and surveys are being conducted to determine cost and means of bringing water covered areas into agriculturally useful surfaces. Among the lakes which will be drained will be Sullivan Lake, near Wabamun; Chip Lake, Cygnet Lake, near Entwistle, and certain low lying stretches in the Lesser Slave Lake. The scheme will embrace inundated Saskatchewan areas and east of Prince Albert, and 1,000-mile tract between the Carrot and Saskatchewan Rivers will be surveyed this summer.

Holloway's Corn Cure takes the corn out by the roots. Try it and prove it.

**British Military and Naval Costs**  
Great Britain's expenditures on naval and military operations in Russia from the time of the signing of the armistice with Germany, Nov. 11, 1918 to March 31, last, amounted to \$55,973,000, according to a parliamentary paper just issued.

## MOTHER!

"California Syrup of Figs"  
Child's Best Laxative



Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package, then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels. Children love its fruit taste.

## Belgium's Recovery

Country's Exports May Exceed Imports Before End of Year

Belgium is making rapid recovery from German depredations committed in the world war. At the close of the war 2,000 kilometers of railroads, 1,800 bridges, 600 kilometers of canals, telegraph, and telephone systems and a third of the factories of the country had been destroyed. Recovery has been proceeding steadily since the armistice, and Enil Franqui, the Belgian minister of state, writing in the magazine of Wall Street, states that the railways, telegraphs, and telephones have been almost entirely repaired. The canals are navigable and many industries have been revived. Already coal production is a little higher than in 1913, reaching 105 percent of pre-war output in the month of April last. Textile and wool production are gradually being restored to normal and plate glass works are in full operation. The progress has been slower in the steel construction plants.

Exports, he added, to Holland, France, Italy and Germany surpass imports from those countries. The balance with England is slowly but surely readjusting itself, and from the present indications it appears probable that before the end of the year Belgium will export more than she imports.

In Japan straw is converted into bags for grain, shoes for the feet, raincoats for the body, roofs for the houses, paper mats, screens, beds, and numerous other articles.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Dis-

## Emigrants Flock To the Dominion

European Invasion of Canada Assuming Large Proportions

The publicity department of the C. P. R. states that the great European invasion of Canada has been experiencing since shipping was released is very general and drawing immigrants from a large area. Every continental country, ally and neutral is contributing its quota to the growing stream.

A steamer sailing from European points for the Dominion is crammed to capacity and the class of Canadian settler was never higher nor of a better type. The vessels of the C. P. R. alone handled 26,126 passengers in April and May, and of this total 15,350 showed their intention of settling in the Dominion and making their future homes here.

**Sores Flee Before It**—There are sores and have driven them away with Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, which acts like magic. All similarly troubled should lose no time in applying this splendid remedy, as there is nothing like it to be had. It is cheap, but its power is in no way expressed by its low price.

## Forgotten

Memory of even the most important episodes in contemporary history is remarkably short. Six years ago last Monday Archduke Francis Ferdinand was murdered by Prinzp, a fanatic whose act played into the hands of the junkers and militarists of Germany and Austria and furnished the pretext for the greatest war of all time. Yet few people and few newspapers commented on the anniversary. The date had been almost completely forgotten and it is doubtful if ten persons in a hundred could have recalled the names of the actors in this prologue to the great tragedy.

—Ottawa Citizen.

**Minard's Liniment Co., Limited.**  
Dear Sirs:—This fall I got thrown on a fence and hurt my chest very bad, so I could not work and it hurt me to breathe. I tried all kinds of Liniments and they did me no good. One bottle of MINARD'S LINIMENT, warmed on flannels and applied on my breast, relieved me completely.

C. H. COSSABOOM.

Rossway, Digby Co., N. S.

## Brute Centenaries

Elephants are perhaps the longest lived members of the animal kingdom, averaging between 100 and 200 years. There are records of elephants living 350 years. Most naturalists allow the whale about the same length of life as the elephant. The camel comes third, averaging about 75 years. The average life of a lion and a tiger is 40 and 25 years respectively.

## THE MAN WHO WINS

Is Always Full of Life and Energy—Failures are Weak and Bloodless

Some men seem to have all the luck. If there are any good things going these men seem to get them. They make other people do their will and they are leaders. If they are business men they are successful; if they are workmen they get the foreman's job. They have the power of influencing people. The same thing is true of women. Some have the charm that makes men seek them out; others are always neglected. But this is not luck. It is due to a personal gift—vitality. Men and women of this sort are never weak, puny invalids. They may not be big, but they are full of life and energy. The whole thing is a matter of good blood, good nerves and good health. Everyone would wish to be like this. The qualities that make for vitality and energy are purely a matter of health. By building up the blood and nerves, sleeplessness, want of energy, weakness of the back, stooping shoulders, headache and the intellectual sort of prostration which really comes from weakness can all be got rid of. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have made many weak, tired men vigorous and healthy, and many pale, dejected girls and women plump, rosy and attractive, by improving their blood and toning up their nerves. If you are weak, ailing, nervous, plump, rosy and attractive, try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and note their speedy, beneficial effect.

You can get these Pills through any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50. The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.



## Tractor Seeding Mark

352 Acres in One Day Sets a New Record

What is said by motorized farming authorities to be a record in light tractor seeding has been accomplished by a Manitoba farm worker. James E. Tyrer seeded 135 acres of flax in one day, using a light tractor drawing two 12-foot double-disc drills. His combined acreage with that of two other men for the same day was 352 acres.

The average acreage seeded in a day with the same equipment is from 40 to 50 acres, according to the ranch manager. Tyrer is 23 years old, and lives at Treesbank, Man.—Manitoba Free Press.

## Had His Game Trapped

A young Swede appeared at the county judge's office and asked for a license.

"What kind of a license?" asked the judge; "a hunting license?"

"No," was the answer, "aye tank aye I have hunting long enough aye want marriage license."

## DANDRUFF SOON GETS YOUR HAIR

Let "Danderine" check nasty scurf and stop hair falling out



To stop falling hair at once and rid the scalp of every particle of dandruff, get a small bottle of "Danderine" and apply it to the counter for a few cents, pour a little in your hand and rub well into the scalp. After several applications all dandruff usually goes and hair stops coming out. Every hair in your head soon shows new life, vigor, brightness, thickness and more color.

## Merely A Boiled Egg

If You Don't Know How to Boil an Egg This Will Explain

There is a great difference in eggs—some cling to the shells more than others. "Hard boiled" eggs should not be boiled; they should be cooked below the boiling point for twenty to thirty minutes, and will be more digestible (the albumen is not hardened) and will peel more easily. However, the egg should be dipped in cold water for a few minutes before removing the shell and this does away with the last bit of difficulty. Hurry and "boiling hard" to get a hard-boiled egg makes most of the trouble. It takes a little time to do anything well—even cooking an egg in the shell, which sounds like the last word in simplicity.

## Canada's Fleet Due in September

The Naval Fleet, consisting of a cruiser, two destroyers, and two submarines, which the British government has presented to the admiralty, are expected to come out in September. Commander Halsey, who recently went to England to supervise the taking over, has asked that a number of other officers be sent across. The ships are now being overhauled and got in readiness for service. They may be quartered at Halifax in summer and Esquimaux in winter. Commander Halsey is likely to succeed Admiral Kingsmill as director of the Canadian Naval Service.

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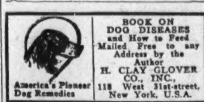
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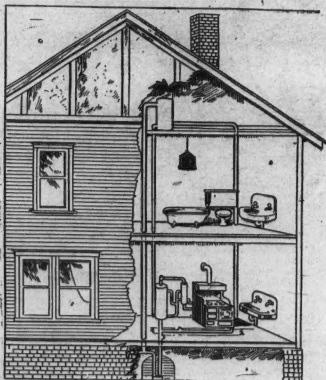
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No. 42

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Visiting Brethren Welcome.  
E. E. BROWN, N. G.  
S. WILLIS, Sec.-Treas.  
A. JESSIMAN, Fin. Sec.

## Local & General

Melvin Reid has left the Bliss Garage and is taking a job with R. DeLamprecht, a Frenchman who has recently purchased R. Kenyon's farm, one mile north of town. Mon. Lamprecht claims 27 German planes to his war record.

Mr. D. Ontkes and A. W. Gordon returned to town on Wednesday evening, having been out adjusting Hail Insurance claims for the past few days. Both report that crops in the Crossfield district are the best yet.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Watters left on Monday morning to spend a vacation at Gull Lake.

Vincent Brown, of Bottrel was charged before Justices Wigle and Lewis at the Fire Hall, Crossfield, on Tuesday evening, August 2nd, with stealing a quantity of furniture belonging to Mrs. E. Oldaker. Brown pleaded guilty to the charge of theft and Mrs. Oldaker requested leniency considering the articles stolen had been returned. The accused was fined \$5.00 and costs with a warning that if brought up again on a similar charge the full penalty would be handed out.

### Keeping the Home Fires Burning

If you want your town to improve, improve it. If you want your town lively, make it. Don't go to sleep, but get up and work for it, talk about it and talk favorably. If you have property, improve it, paint your houses, make your surroundings pleasant, and you will be worth more in the market. If you are doing reasonably well advise your friends to come and invest near you. Work steadily for your home dealers. Keep your money at home as much as possible, and it is likely to help you in return. The successful towns have been made by the property owners pulling together. Public improvement is an investment that pays. Don't waste your time over dirty quarrels and hold back your aid from good objects, through spite, but work for some good and you will be benefited.

### Diet of Words

It is always unpleasant to have to "eat one's words," but the modern performance is very preferable to the practice of the Middle Ages when several authors were literally compelled to swallow their own books. When Bernard the Great, Duke of Saxony, discovered that he was criticized in certain pamphlets, he had the author arrested. After putting him in the pillory for an hour, with one of the objectionable works between his teeth, he made him swallow it! In 1668, Philippus Oldenburger published a description of his travels through Germany. A passage in this offended his liege lord, and Oldenburger was soundly flogged and made to eat a copy of his book! Cases of voluntary book eating have also been known. The Tartans used to eat books in order to acquire knowledge, this being the only way in which they could assimilate printed matter.

For Sale.—Two Fresh Milk Cows, good ones, 4 years old. Phone 309, or apply D. Bliss, Crossfield.

Impounded in the Municipal District of Rosebud No. 280 Pound statute on the N.E. 1/4, 20, 28, 1, W. 5th. One Dark Brown Mare with a white star on forehead, weight about 1400 lbs. No visible brand. Impounded on the 26th day of July. Frank Landymore, Poundkeeper.

### NOTICE.

We have still a few of Dr. C. J. Korinek's veterinary Books. The Veterinarian's are published at \$2.50 each, in order to dispose the remainder of these valuable books, we will sell them at less than cost, 50c. each. Anyone who has the handling of horses, cattle, swine, sheep and poultry can't afford to be without one of these books, while they last, at 50 cents each.

Chronicle Office, Crossfield.

## For Sale

For Sale.—Nearly new White Wicker Baby Sulkies.—Apply Mr. D. J. McFadyen, Crossfield.

For Sale.—One Registered Berkshire Boar, 1 year old. Apply George Landymore, Crossfield.

Notice.—If the party who borrowed the Straw Cutter from the Crossfield Depot last fall will kindly let the owner know of its whereabouts, at his needs it, no more will be said. H. Robertson, Sampsonion.

Strayed.—One small Pig, about 6 weeks old, red with black spots on sides and neck. Reward for recovery. Please notify Chas. Hultgren, Crossfield.

ESTRAY.—Impounded in the Municipal of Rosebud No. 280 Pound statute in N.E. 1/4, Sec. 20, Tp. 28, R. 1, W. 5th M. One Bay Gelding, about 10 years old. Branded as cut on right shoulder. About 1000 lbs. This animal was impounded on the 17th July. F. Landymore, Poundkeeper.

### NOTICE

Cattle Branded JS on right shoulder

Please notify,

H. Scholefield.

Crossfield School District No. 753

The REGULAR MEETINGS of the above School Board will be held in Ontkes and Gordon's Office, at 8 p.m., on the first Monday of each month.

Ratepayers are invited to be present at these meetings. All matters of business pertaining to this district will be attended to at this meeting.

The office of the Sec.-Treas. is in the Crossfield Drug Store.

A. W. GORDON, Chairman,  
Merrick Thomas, Sec.-Treas.

### Notice to Farmers and Others.

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### Council Meetings

The council of the Village of Crossfield will meet in the Office of the Secretary-Treasurer on the first Monday of each month, commencing with February at the hour of 8-30 o'clock p.m.

By Order of the Village Council.

St-52- W. McRory, Sec.-Treas.

Municipal District of Beaver Dam No. 281

Notice of Impoundment.—Notice is hereby Given under Section 210 of the Rural Municipal Bylaw 1, that one Sorrel Horse, strip in face, 5 years old, 1300 lbs. Branded on left shoulder 2 also on left thigh

One Bay Horse, aged, about 1300 lbs. Branded J on left shoulder. One Black Mare Colt, 2 years old, about 700 lbs. Branded n g on left shoulder. One Dark Bay Pony Mare, about 875 lbs. Branded on left shoulder 2

Was impounded in the pound kept by the undersigned on the N.W. 1/4, S. 21, Tp. 28, R. 2, W. 5th M., on 26th day of June, 1920. Dated at Sampsonion this 9th day of July, 1920. Homer Gano.

Estrays.—In the Municipal District of Rosebud No. 280, situated on S. 4, Tp. 29, R. 27, W. of 4. One Bay Gelding, aged, blazed face, hole on top of neck, weight about 1700 lbs. Branded on right shoulder as cut. One Grey Mare, 2 years old, weight about 1500 lbs. Branded on left shoulder as lower cut, and on right shoulder. One White Gelding. Branded on right shoulder, aged, weight about 1650 lbs. One Iron Grey Filly, aged 2 years. Branded on right shoulder One Brown Mare, 3 years old, white right hind foot, white stripe in face, and branded as last on right shoulder. One Bay Gelding, 3 years old, white left hind foot. Branded as last on right shoulder. Also one Black Mare, six years old. Branded as cut on right thigh and on the left flank 2

Walter Knight, Poundkeeper.

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